

CWMU Name:

Ensign Ranches

Contact Information	Operator:	Travis Murphy
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Location	Counties:	Morgan
	Wildlife Mgt Unit:	Chalk Creek

Property Size	Total Acres:	84,609
	Private Acres:	84,609
	Public Acres:	0

Drawing Odds Drawing odds are the odds of obtaining a permit for this CWMU.	2007 Drawing Odds Deer:	1 in 62.0
	2007 Drawing Odds Elk:	n/a
	2007 Drawing Odds Moose:	1 in 68.0
	2007 Drawing Odds Pronghorn:	n/a

Satisfaction Index The Satisfaction Index ranges from 1 to 5 with 5 being the best. Hunters are asked how they rate their hunt and the Satisfaction Index is an average of those responses.	Buck Deer Satisfaction Index:	4.7
	Doe Deer Satisfaction Index:	4.4
	Bull Elk Satisfaction Index:	0
	Cow Elk Satisfaction Index:	0
	Bull Moose Satisfaction Index:	4.3
	Cow Moose Satisfaction Index:	4
	Buck Pronghorn Satisfaction Index:	0
	Doe Pronghorn Satisfaction Index:	0
	Wild Turkey Satisfaction Index:	0

Average Age	2007 Buck Deer Age:	0	yrs old
	2007 Bull Elk Age:	0	yrs old
	2007 Bull Moose Age:	0	yrs old

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2009

Hunting Opportunities Acres, Days Dates

Buck Deer Acres:	84,609
Buck Deer Days:	5
Buck Deer Dates:	Tue-Sat 3rd Week Oct
Bull Elk Acres:	84,609
Bull Elk Days:	5
Bull Elk Dates:	Tue-Sat 3rd Week Oct or 11/1-11/
Bull Moose Acres:	84,609
Bull Moose Days:	5
Bull Moose Dates:	Tue-Sat 3rd Week Oct
Buck Pronghorn Acres:	84,609
Buck Pronghorn Days:	5
Buck Pronghorn Dates:	Tue-Sat 3rd Week Oct
Doe Deer Acres:	84,609
Doe Deer Days:	2
Doe Deer Dates:	weekends starting 11/15
Cow Elk Acres:	84,609
Cow Elk Days:	2
Cow Elk Dates:	weekends starting 11/15
Cow Moose Acres:	84,609
Cow Moose Days:	2
Cow Moose Dates:	weekends starting 11/15
Doe Pronghorn Acres:	84,609
Doe Pronghorn Days:	2
Doe Pronghorn Dates:	weekends starting 11/15

Available Hunting Permits

Private Buck Deer:	36
Private Bull Elk:	18
Private Bull Moose:	3
Private Buck Pronghorn:	2
Public Buck Deer:	4
Public Bull Elk:	2
Public Bull Moose:	2
Public Buck Pronghorn:	1

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Common Questions

Guests allowed?	Yes	One (1) non-hunting
Hunting allowed on Sunday?	Yes	
Pre-season scouting allowed?	No	
Horses allowed?	No	
ATVs allowed?	No	
Guide service available?	Yes	For a fee
Packing service offered?	Yes	For a fee
Lodging/food available?	Yes	For a fee
Camping allowed?	Yes	With prior arrangement
Handcapped accessibility?	No	
Are maps available?	Yes	
Other activities available?	No	
Are there closed areas on the property?	No	

Access Contact:	Operator
Best Phone:	In proclamation
Best Time:	Business hours

Rules of Conduct

Contact operator for Ranch Rules & Policies

Ensign Ranches CWMU Description

The Ensign Ranches CWMU is up Echo Canyon on both sides of Interstate Highway I-80. The highest point on the Unit is in the southeast at **9200** feet. This drops down to **5900 feet** in Echo Canyon. On the other side of I-80 the elevation ranges from 7600 feet to 5900 feet. To the north elevation is around 6800 feet, to the east 7300 feet, to the south 6400 feet, and to the west 7600 feet. There are relatively flat areas in the southeast (7600 feet) with many waterbodies. The terrain on the north side of I-80 is steeper than on the south side.

Over fifty percent (50%) of the land cover on the Ensign Ranches Cooperative Wildlife Management Unit (CWMU) is Inter-Mountain Basins Montane **Sagebrush Steppe** (62). Towards the southwest are areas of Rocky Mountain **Gambel Oak-Mixed Montane Shrubland** (41). Towards the southeast and some in the northwest area areas of Rocky Mountain **Aspen Forest and Woodland** (22). There are areas of Colorado Plateau **Pinyon-Juniper Woodland** (36), and in the north patches of Southern Rocky Mountain Montane-**Subalpine Grassland** (71). Inter-Mountain Basins **Big Sagebrush Steppe** (66) adds to the Shrub-Steppe component, and there are large patches of **Recently Burned** (116) areas.